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SUBJ: WTDR - WEST AFRICAN DRUG COMPANY LIMITED

REF: USDOC 1352

1. ADDRESS: DEVELOPMENT HOUSE, 21 WHARF ROAD, P.O. BOX 433, APAPA.

CABLE: WESAHDRUG. LAGOS. PHONE: 47547. MR. D.J.C. WOOD,
DIRECTOR.

2. FIRM ESTABLISHED 1923, EMPLOYS APPROXIMATELY 250. IMPORTS,
DISTRIBUTES AND RETAILS PHARMACEUTICAL, PROPRIETARY AND MEDICAL
PRODUCTS.

3. FINACIAL REFERENCE: STANDARD BANK NIGERIA LIMITED, MARINA, LAGOS.

4. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: CUPAL LTD.; D.D.D. COMPANY LTD.;
3M/RIKER; MYCOFARM; SCHERING AG; B. BRAUN MELSUNGEN AG, ALL
FIRMS ARE EXCLUSIVELY REPRESENTED. IMPORTS FROM U.K., GERMANY
AND THE NETHERLANDS.

5. FIRM PROVIDED PARTIAL WTDR INFORMATION. FIRM IS WELL KNOWN
SUBSIDIARY OF JOHN HOLT WITH HEADQUARTER IN LIVERPOOL.
HEAD OFFICE OF FIRM IS LOCATED ALONG BUSY STREET AT APAPA, LAGOS
MAINLAND WITH BRANCH OFFICES IN IBADAN BENIN, WARRI, ONITSHA,
ENUGU, ABA, PORT HARCOURT, KANO, KADUNA AND JOS. THIS LARGE
REPUTABLE FIRM IMPORTS, DISTRIBUTES AND RETAILS PHARMACEUTICALS,
COSMETICS, CHEMICALS AND VETERINARY PRODUCTS. ALTHOUGH CURRENT
FINANCIAL INFORMATION IS NOT AVAILABLE, MANAGEMENT AND
FINANCIAL POSITION OF COMPANY ARE CONSIDERED VERY GOOD. EMBASSY
RECOMMENDS AS VERY GOOD TRADE CONTACT.

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